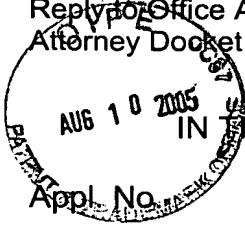


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Applicant : William A. GROLL

Filed : June 27, 2003

Title : Composite Cookware Having Decorative Outer Surface  
and Improved Induction Heating Characteristics

Art Unit : 1775

Examiner : John J. Zimmerman

Customer No. : 28289

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of April 6, 2005, Applicant submits the following amendments and remarks, along with a Petition for Extension of Time and requisite fee. A one-month extension of time would bring the response due date to August 6, 2005. Since August 6, 2005 fell on a Saturday, this response is being timely filed on Monday, August 8, 2005.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 4 of this paper.

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